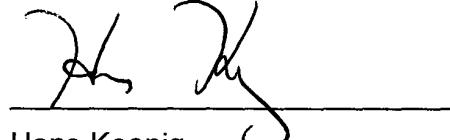


Remarks

In our filing letter dated June 23, 2003, the Applicant claimed the benefit of a U.S. provisional application filed on June 13, 2003. We note that the filing certificate mailed August 19, 2003 does not indicate this information. By way of this letter and amendment, the Applicant has now completed its claim to the benefit of the U.S. provisional application by providing the serial number as well as the filing date.

We look forward to receiving your acknowledgement of the completed claim to the benefit of the prior application.

Respectfully submitted,



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